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## THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE ADVANCEMENT OF SCIENCE THE ATLANTA MEETING

UNDER the presidency of Dr. Edmund B. Wilson, professor of zoology in Columbia University, the sixty-fifth meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, and the twelfth of the "Convocation week" meetings, was held in Atlanta from December 29, 1913, to January 3, 1914.

It seems to be almost impossible to obtain an accurate record of the attendance, chiefly because the members of the affiliated societies do not register. The number actually registered at headquarters was 324 members of the association, 54 members of affiliated societies and 16 delegates. Perhaps the total attendance, based to be sure on estimation, was about 500, a very good number when one remembers that Atlanta is rather out of the beaten track of tourists, but even if the number in attendance was not as great as at some of the previous meetings, and notwithstanding the rainy weather, the admirable arrangements and the enthusiastic reception accorded were more than compensation. With that characteristic hospitality of the south the people of Atlanta extended to the visitors a welcome that will long be remembered.